



## ASUC Senate Meeting Agenda

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**Spring 2012 Session – Week 4**  
**Wednesday, February 15, 2012**  
**7:00 pm, Senate Chamber**

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  - SB 66 – A Bill in Support of Major Madness
  - SB 67 – A Bill in Support of Cal Raijin Taiko's Spring Showcase
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Executive Vice President	Chris Alabastro
Academic Affairs Vice President	Julia Joung
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ASUC Representative to the Haas Business Students Association  
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ASUC Representative to the Multicultural Fund Selection Committee  
ASUC Representative to the Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Sustainability

**Spring 2012 Session – Week 5 (Preliminary)**  
**Wednesday, February 22, 2012**  
**7:00 pm, Senate Chamber**

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- II. New Business
- III. Approval of the Agenda for February 29, 2012
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## A Bill in Support of a UC Berkeley Honor Code

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**Authored by: Senator Elliot Goldstein, Senator Sayarath, President Loomba and Student Advocate Shah**

**Sponsored by: Senator Elliot Goldstein, Senator Diaz, Senator Sayarath, Senator Lam, President Loomba, Student Advocate Shah**

**WHEREAS,** the goal of the UC Berkeley Honor Code is to strengthen the culture of honesty, integrity, and mutual respect among students, and incorporate the Honor Code into the social consciousness of the campus community; and

**WHEREAS,** the proposed text of the Honor Code: “As a member of the UC Berkeley community, I act with honesty, integrity, and respect for others”; and

**WHEREAS,** there will be a multimodal campaign to weave the Honor Code into the fabric of the UC Berkeley academic experience, including but not limited to:

- In classes: prominent mention in course syllabi, signed statements on exams and papers, discussions in class
- In campus life: discussions in student and faculty orientations (CalSO), posters in residential halls, banners on campus, signs in classrooms, on the Berkeley website, etc.
- On exams: inclusion of an affirmative “Honor statement” students must sign during exams in the form of a positive affirmation that students will check when they submit their SIR

**WHEREAS,** the adoption of the Honor Code will not change policies of the current Code of Student Conduct nor the process of dealing with violations of the Code of Student Conduct; and

**WHEREAS,** the adoption of the Honor Code will not impact the proctoring of exams at UC Berkeley; and

**WHEREAS,** honor codes are generally associated with private universities, some of which only operate through their honor codes and have neither a legalistic Code of Student Conduct nor proctored exams; and

**WHEREAS,** UC Berkeley would model its Honor Code off of the University of Virginia that has both proctored exams, a student conduct process, and also a prominent honor code ethos woven into the fabric of academic life at that school.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** The Associated Students of the University of California stands in strong support of the adoption, implementation, and progressive integration of the Honor Code at the University of California, Berkeley; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** The ASUC President should communicate the ASUC’s support of the Honor Code to the Student Body, Academic Senate, and all other campus entities and communities; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** The ASUC Senate urges the Academic Senate to pass a similar resolution and the ASUC President propose a resolution in the STA Committee to the Academic Senate upon which she sits; and,

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** The ASUC Ad Hoc Committee on Marketing and Publicity will communicate the adoption of the Honor Code as well as the ASUC's support of the implementation of the code.



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**A Bill in Support of Jesus Navarro to receive a Life-Saving Kidney Transplant Surgery  
in the University of California, San Francisco**

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**Authored by: Senator Ju Hong  
Sponsored by: Senator Ju Hong**

**WHEREAS,** Jesus Navarro, a 35-year old Oakland resident, who is an undocumented immigrant; and,

**WHEREAS,** Navarro's wife, Alicia, who is also undocumented and they have a 3-year old daughter, Karen Jacqueline; and,

**WHEREAS,** Navarro worked in the Pacific Steel foundry in Berkeley for 14 years but recently he lost his job as a result of immigration raid in the company; and,

**WHEREAS,** Eight years ago, Navarro's kidneys began to shut down and seek for immediate medical attention in the University of California, San Francisco; and,

**WHEREAS,** Navarro was a top of the list in UCSF last May 2011; and,

**WHEREAS,** However, UCSF Medical Center administrators refused to perform his transplant due to his immigration status, especially the Medical Center lack of confidence in Navarro's ability to afford the medical care; and,

**WHEREAS,** the UCSF hospital won't perform the transplant without a guarantee of payment for the expensive drugs and other treatments; and,

**WHEREAS,** the denial of Navarro's transplant surgery based on his immigration status is simply wrong and inhumane; and,

**WHEREAS,** Narravero will die if he does not receive life-saving kidney transplant, leaving his wife and a 3-year old daughter behind in the United States; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** ASUC firmly stands in support of Jesus Navarro to receive a life-saving kidney transplant surgery in UCSF; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC will sign online petition in support of Jesus Navarro via <http://www.change.org/petitions/dont-let-jesus-navarro-die-approve-his-kidney-transplant>; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC Senators will spread awareness about Navarro's case by posting online petition via Facebook, Twitter, ASUC Senate blogs, and its respective community; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC President Loomba will send the resolution

along with her personal letter in support of Jesus Navaarro to UCSF Chancellor Desmond-Hellmann, Reece Fawley, UCSF Executive Director of Transplantation, and;

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** UC Berkeley Chancellor Birgeneau and UC Berkeley Vice-Chancellor Basri to take public stand in support of Jesus Navarro; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC will commit to support Jesus Navarro until he receives a Kidney transplant surgery; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** ASUC will make effort to ensure that UCSF and other hospital all patients would be treated equally without regard to their nationality or immigration status.

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**A Bill in support of CAD (Campaign for an American DREAM)**

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**Authored by: Senator Hong, Vickie Mena**

**Sponsored by: Senator Hong, Senator Diaz, Senator Fang, Senator Williams, Senator Albright,  
Senator Galace**

**WHEREAS,** The University of California, Berkeley, campus recognizes the inherent worth of every person and seeks to promote equity, fairness, and compassion; and

**WHEREAS,** The UC Berkeley is made up of 35,000 diverse individuals from both native born and immigrants whose collective cultures, backgrounds, and viewpoints to form an integrated community which prides itself on being a place which welcomes every background and nationality; and,

**WHEREAS,** The UC Berkeley recognizes that foreign-born immigrants have a legal and moral imperative to live in our community, free from intimidation or fear; and

**WHEREAS,** Immigrants play a vital, yet often overlooked, role in our economy and deserve to be treated with dignity while enjoying the rich diversity of our City through civic participation; and

**WHEREAS,** The UC Berkeley is proud to honor the history of various communities that have not only strengthened our City and campus – but influenced the course of all humankind; and

**WHEREAS,** The four courageous young talented undocumented students: Lucas, Jonatan, Nico, Raymi, of the Campaign for an American DREAM, also known as CAD, are undertaking a historic journey from San Francisco to Washington D.C. to demand equal access to higher education, and end to the deportation of all DREAMers, a pathway to citizenship, and an end to the separation of immigrant families; and

**WHEREAS,** These four students will be walking through the UC Berkeley campus on March 10, 2012, as part of their historic 3,000 mile journey to Washington D.C. with the aspirations of creating productive dialogue around the plight of undocumented youth in small towns and big cities along the route; and

**WHEREAS,** Educating communities and opening spaces where all people can come together and discuss the opportunities of seeing all youth properly included into our American society via the passage of the DREAM Act and comprehensive immigration reform; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** ASUC will stand in solidarity with CAD and four courageous students who are walking 3,000 mile from San Francisco to Washington D.C.; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC will spread awareness about CAD by posting CAD's official website: (<http://thedreamwalk.org/>) via Facebook, Twitter, ASUC Senate blogs, and its

respective community; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC President Loomba will sign-on CAD's petition (<http://thedreamwalk.org/sign-on-2/>) on half of ASUC; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** ASUC will rally up students to join with the walkers on March 10th event to show support and solidarity of creating productive dialogue around the plight of undocumented youth as they embark their historic journey from San Francisco to Washington D.C.

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## A Bill in Support of Design for America

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**Authored by Senator Connor Landgraf and Senator Shahryar Abassi  
Sponsored by Senator Connor Landgraf and Senator Shahryar Abassi**

**WHEREAS,** Design For America teaches human centered design, collaborating community partners and implements innovative solutions based on insights into human needs, rapid prototyping, user-testing, and interdisciplinary team work. DFA currently addresses national challenges in education, health, and environment; and,

**WHEREAS,** DFA tailors their organization to any major/discipline, and for the immediate community tackling social, health, and environmental issues; and,

**WHEREAS,** DFA aims to have at least 30 members, which is a good starting group that can help with building designs and other logistical efforts; and,

**WHEREAS,** Some of the events we'll be holding will be workshops on design, inviting guest speakers, movie nights, and discussion/activity nights all of which will be related to the mission of the organization and progress our project forward; and,

**WHEREAS,** We would like for DFA to produce at least 1 design project by the end of this year that will impact a particular community that would benefit our help. The issue we tackle will be under the discretion of the club; and,

**WHEREAS,** The budget for DFA is as follows:

Item Name	Source (Optional)	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Publicity</b>							
Posters	Staples	20	.1	50	5	5	ASUC
Fliers	Zee Zee Copy	\$0.05 (BW)	1	300	15	15	ASUC
Table Banner		40			40	40	ASUC
Art Supplies (construction paper, markers,				1	40	40	ASUC

etc.)							
<b>Overhead Costs</b>							
Table	Target	20	1	1	20	20	ASUC
Chairs	Target	10		3	30	30	ASUC
Subtotal					150	150	
External Source of Funding 1					0	0	
External Source of Funding 2 (Add more as needed)					0	0	
Grand Total					150	150	

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** The ASUC Senate recognize Design for America (DFA) as a 1<sup>st</sup> year Student Activity Group (SAG) and allocate \$150 from the Senate Contingency Fund to DFA.

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## A Bill in Support of Opting Out Secure Communities Policy and to Support AB 1081, the TRUST Act

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**Authored by: Senator Hong**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Hong, Senator Diaz, Senator Albright**

- WHEREAS,** U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) has developed a collaboration program between local police and Immigration and Custom Enforcement (ICE), known as “Secure Communities,” which requires the sharing of fingerprint information at the point of booking by local or state law enforcement, citizen or non-citizen, no matter the severity, with the Department of Homeland Security/ICE; and,
- WHEREAS,** Since implementation of “S-COMM,” about 70% of the individuals deported as a result of the program have no criminal record, or have been found to have committed only minor crimes, whom are survivors of domestic violence who called the police for help;<sup>1</sup> and,
- WHEREAS,** The program has torn apart local communities throughout the country and has further alienated immigrant communities from local police; and,
- WHEREAS,** S-Comm gives dangerous discretion to individual police officers to falsely arrest or overcharge immigrants, who would then be deported. This increases racial profiling and will further alienate immigrants who are witness or victims of crimes from the police; and,
- WHEREAS,** victims of violence, including survivors of domestic violence such as Norma whose story was in the *Los Angeles Times*;<sup>2</sup> have been swept up into deportation proceedings by S-Comm after calling the police for help, the U.S. Congressional Hispanic Caucus, the U.S. Congressional Progressive Caucus, and the Los Angeles Congressional Delegation have all called upon President Obama to suspend the S-Comm Program nationally because of concerns regarding racial profiling and the harm caused to victims of violence; and,
- WHEREAS,** As a result of S-comm policy, thousands of families members were separated and reported for deportation without due process; and,
- WHEREAS,** Obama administration had deported about 1.06 million immigrants through S-Comm policy as of September 12, 2011, against 1.57 million in Bush’s two full presidential terms;<sup>3</sup> and,

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<sup>1</sup> U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Secure Communities IDENT/IAFIS Interoperability Monthly Statistics October 27, 2008 through April 30, 2011. Available at [http://www.ice.gov/doclib/foia/sc-stats/nationwide\\_interoperability\\_stats-fy2011-to-date.pdf](http://www.ice.gov/doclib/foia/sc-stats/nationwide_interoperability_stats-fy2011-to-date.pdf).

<sup>2</sup> Lee Romney, “Noncriminals swept up in federal deportation program,” *LA Times*, May 11, 2011, available at <http://www.latimes.com/news/local/la-me-secure-communities-20110425,0,1739725.story>

<sup>3</sup> Adam Serwer, “It’s official: Obama Has Deported More than A Million Unauthorized Immigrants” <http://motherjones.com/mojo/2011/09/its-official-obama-has-deported-more-million-unauthorized-immigrants>

**WHEREAS,** Despite S-Comm policy stated focus on terrorists or immigrants with criminal backgrounds, more than half of those deported had no criminal records, of those who had criminal backgrounds, seven out of ten committed minor violations such as shoplifting; and,

**WHEREAS,** The S-Comm is not a practical solution to fix our broken immigration system; and,

**WHEREAS,** California should not follow an Arizona example by becoming more of a police state; and,

**WHEREAS,** Opting out of this voluntary, dangerous program will protect public safety and help keep families together; and,

**WHEREAS,** California assembly member Tom Ammiano introduced a bill AB1081 (TRUST Act), which would give local governments the right to opt-out of the controversial Secure Communities program; and,

**WHEREAS,** Currently AB1081 referred to California Congress Committee on Appropriations; and,

**WHEREAS,** If AB1081 passes in California, this would allow local government to opt out S-Comm policy; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** ASUC firmly stands in support of opting out S-Comm policy and to support AB1081, TRUST Act; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC will support any events that would educate and spread awareness about S-Comm policy on campus; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** The Student Advocate Office and UCPD office will thoroughly review on S-Comm policy and report back to ASUC for suggestions to ensure that all Berkeley residents would not be affected by S-Comm on campus and on local level; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC will make efforts to collaborate with Berkeley City Council members to opt-out S-Comm and to support the TRUST Act; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** ASUC calls Governor Brown and Attorney General Harris to terminate or suspend S-COMM in California, and asks for their support of AB 1081, the TRUST Act, which is pending state legislation that would permit localities to opt out of the program; and

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** ASUC calls President Barack Obama, Secretary Janet Napolitano, California Senators Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer, Speaker of the House of Representatives, John Boehner, to take steps to pass just, fair, and comprehensive immigration reform, rather than strengthen deeply flawed police/ICE collaboration programs.



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## **A Bill in Opposition to Berkeley City Council Exhibit B Policy Changes**

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**Authored by:** Senator Justin Sayarath, Senator Elliot Goldstein, ASUC-Berkeley Student Cooperative Representative Alex Ghenis, Interfraternity Council Vice President of External Affairs Oren Friedman, Interfraternity Council President David Blanchard,

**Sponsored by:** Senator Elliot Goldstein, Senator Justin Sayarath, Senator Shahryar Abbasi, Senator Connor Landgraf, Senator Dan Ternan, Senator Safeena Mecklai, Senator Aviv Gilboa, EAVP Joey Freeman

**WHEREAS,** The Berkeley City Council is in the middle of considering an amendment to Berkeley Municipal Code Chapter 13.48; and,

**WHEREAS,** The changes will effectively change the period that constitutes how long a property is considered a public nuisance from 120 days to 180 days; and,

**WHEREAS,** These changes have large and far reaching effects on the student population living in the City of Berkeley; and,

**WHEREAS,** Many UC Berkeley college students live in community housing arrangements during their college years for economic and social reasons, including but not limited to Fraternities, Sororities, Cooperatives, and large houses; and

**WHEREAS,** Community housing arrangements generally have a denser population of people living closer together therefore generating more noise; and,

**WHEREAS,** The proposed amendments to the Exhibit B policy specifically target students; and,

**WHEREAS,** While the city officials believe they are addressing the issue of public nuisance by making this amendment, a change to Exhibit B only addresses the problem of repeat offenders and does not address Exhibit A policies that have broader deterrence to public nuisance in general; and,

**WHEREAS,** The ASUC does not support amendments to the current Exhibit A policy; and

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** The Associated Student of the University of California formally opposes the proposed policy changes to Exhibit B from 120 to 180 days; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** The ASUC External Affairs Vice President should communicate the ASUC's position to the Mayor and Berkeley City Council in the form of a letter on behalf of the UC Berkeley Student Body.

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## A Bill in Support of Students for Social Change

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**Authored by:** Senator Albright  
**Sponsored by:** Senator Albright

**WHEREAS,** Students for Social Change is a group of organizers and people who want to change the world; and,

**WHEREAS,** With the crises that exist today in every aspect of life, Students for Social Change believes in ordinary people working together, fighting back, and running society collectively in their own interests; and,

**WHEREAS,** Students for Social Change believes in activating people to fight on their own behalf for a world that prioritizes need above profit, and helping people organize in their communities towards a more progressive society; and,

**WHEREAS,** From fights over cuts to education and social spending, to events on history and the movements of the past, Students for Social Change seeks to create opportunities for people to be active on their own terms; and

**WHEREAS,** The budget is as follows

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested
<b>Miscellaneous</b>					
Folding Chairs	\$30	1	2	\$60	\$20
Table	\$40	1	1	\$40	\$40
Markers	\$3.33	1	3	\$10	\$10
Elmers Display Board	\$10	1	4	\$40	\$40
Stapler	\$20	1	1	\$20	\$10
Staples	\$2.49	1	2	\$5	\$5
Expanding File	\$20	1	1	\$20	\$20

Recycled Ball Point Pens	\$.08	60	1	\$5	\$5
Cash Box	\$40	1	1	\$40	\$40
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$240</b>	<b>\$190</b>
<b>External Funding (Donations, fundraisers, etc.)</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>Out of Pocket</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$190</b>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, That the ASUC officially recognize Students for Social Change as a first year Student Initiated Service Group (SISG) and be allocated \$190 for start-up costs.

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## A Resolution in Support of USEU NorCal Chapter Conference

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**Authored by: Senator Diaz and Wendy Pacheco**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Diaz**

- WHEREAS,** The Unión Salvadoreña de Estudiantes Universitarios (USEU) came about in a moment in which the Salvadoran population was being regarded as the 3rd or 4th largest Latino group in the United States, yet that was (and continues to be) far from their representation in academia; and,
- WHEREAS,** USEU seeks to give visibility to the Salvadoran student population in the United States, not in a nationalistic approach, but as a manifestation of counter-hegemonic discourse that state the message that Salvadoreños are academics as well; and,
- WHEREAS,** USEU promotes and supports research that seeks to understand and empower their community, while promoting a strong sense of participation on behalf of our members in the transformational approaches of El Salvador; and,
- WHEREAS,** USEU is dedicated to the transformation of Salvadoran society both in El Salvador and abroad. Through a critical approach of Salvadoran history and the context of reception in the United States and other countries, USEU advocates for alternatives to the depleting neo-liberal model that has succumbed Salvadorans to extreme conditions of marginality; and,
- WHEREAS,** The realities between Northern California and Southern California are different in that there are different Salvadoran consulates, and the Salvadoran community that is concentrated in different areas across the San Francisco Bay Area, has less supportive networks that benefit the Salvadoran Community; and,
- WHEREAS,** USEU needs this space to provide ideas and build support among all of their chapters, that extend to UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UC Santa Cruz, San Francisco State University and the University of San Francisco; and,
- WHEREAS,** USEU's organization has several statewide projects that most of Southern California is contributing to, and before Northern California chapters can engage and participate, they need to have a strong foundation which is what we develop at these crucial regional meetings; and,
- WHEREAS,** the budget for the small conference is:

Line-Item Budget					
Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	ASUC
<b>General</b>					
Rental Car (enterprise)	100.40 dollars/per day	2 days	2* 2 cars	401.60	401.60
Gas	3.75 dollars/per gallon		~10 gallons/per car	75.00	75.00
Food	10 dollars/per meal	3meals/ per person	7 people	210.00	0
Hotel (3 people)	\$84/per room	1 room	1	84.00	0
Hotel(4 people)	95 dollars	1 room	1	95	0
<b>Subtotal</b>				865.60	476.60
<b>External Funding (Donations, fundraisers, etc.)</b>				<b>*Difference is out of pocket</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>865.60</b>	<b>476.60</b>

**THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED**, that the Unión Salvadoreña de Estudiantes Universitarios (USEU), be given the amount of **\$476.60** from the ASUC Contingency Fund.

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**A Bill to Recognize *Quinto Sol Remembered***

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**Authored by: Senator Diaz and Linda Machuca**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Diaz**

- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remembered* aims to organize the recovery of *El Quinto Sol* publications, which included foundational texts of Chican@ literature and the magazine *El Grito*, commemorating its 50th year anniversary; and,
- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remembered* was created to organize events dedicated to the celebration of *Quinto Sol* publications, *El Grito*, and UC Berkeley's contribution to Chicano/a Literary history; and,
- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remember* was created to promote literature, specifically Chicano literature, as they organize the recovery of *El Quinto Sol* and *El Grito* publications, the first Chican@ publications; and,
- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remembered* will provide membership to currently registered students (Undergraduate students and Graduate students), faculty, and staff of UC Berkeley; classifying them into members, non-members, and non-active members; and,
- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remembered* aims to highlight UC Berkeley's contribution to the *Chicano movimiento* in the 1960s in the publications of *El Grito Remembered*, for the many involved UC Berkeley Undergraduates in the publications of *El Grito*; and,
- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remember* has organized events to bring poetry to the audience, sharing experiences and knowledge through literature. Furthermore, a past event that *Quinto Sol Remembered* organized was a reading and presentation by the inaugural editor of *El Grito*, Nick Vaca; and,
- WHEREAS,** *Quinto Sol Remembered* is concerned with bringing Chicano literature (poetry, short-stories, news articles, biographies, etc.) to the forefront of American culture and uniting all Chicanos.
- THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that *Quinto Sol Remembered* be recognized by the ASUC as a 1st year Student Activity Group (SAG) for the 2011-2012 academic year.

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**A Bill in Opposition to California Proposition 8**

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**Authored By: Senator Safeena Mecklai and Senator Andrew Albright and Steven Johnson**  
**Sponsored By: Senator Safeena Mecklai, Senator Joey Lam, Senator Andrew Albright, Senator Sydney Fang, Senator Sayarath, Senator Abbasi, Senator Galace**

- WHEREAS,** The Defense of Marriage Act was enacted on September 21, 1996, defining marriage as a union between one man and one woman; and,
- WHEREAS,** The Defense of Marriage Act exempted states from recognizing same-sex marriages, even those valid in other states, as valid in that state; and,
- WHEREAS,** In March 2000 California voters approved Proposition 22, restricting marriage to be valid solely between opposite-sex couples; and,
- WHEREAS,** Following the passage of the Defense of Marriage Act, dozens of states enacted similar laws; and,
- WHEREAS,** On May 15th, 2008 the California Supreme Court struck down Proposition 22 on the grounds that it violated the California State Constitution, effectively legalizing same-sex marriage for the first time in California's history; and,
- WHEREAS,** On November 4th, 2008 California Voters passed Proposition 8, amending the California Constitution to read: "Only marriage between a man and a woman is valid or recognized in California"; and,
- WHEREAS,** Proposition 8 has had the effect of enforcing inequality, discrimination, and marginalization nation-wide, and on our campus; and,
- WHEREAS,** The "Yes on 8" campaign was marginalizing and homophobic in nature; and,
- WHEREAS,** the students of the University of California of Berkeley are a diverse body of individuals with a variety of sexual orientations and gender identities; and,
- WHEREAS,** our University prides itself on equality, acceptance, and promoting the best interests of all students; and,
- WHEREAS,** On August 4th, 2010 United States District Judge Vaughn Walker overturned Proposition 8 on the grounds that it violated both the Due Process and Equal Protection clauses of the United States Constitution; and,
- WHEREAS,** on Tuesday, February 7th, the US 9th Circuit Court of Appeals upheld Judge Walker's decision, striking down California's Proposition 8, deeming it unconstitutional; and,

**WHEREAS,** the court’s decision said that “Proposition 8 served no purpose, and had no effect, other than to lessen the status and human dignity of gays and lesbians in California;” and, <sup>4</sup>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Associated Students of the University of California stand in official opposition to California Proposition 8; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Associated Students of the University of California publish a statement of this opposition in its Daily Cal Advertisement; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Associated Students of the University of California affirm the decisions of Judge Walker and the 9th District Court of Appeals; and,

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** that the Associated Students of the University of California stand in firm support of the rights of all individuals to marry the person they love, regardless of gender identity.

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<sup>4</sup> <http://latimesblogs.latimes.com/lanow/2012/02/gay-marriage-prop-8s-ban-ruled-unconstitutional.html>



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**A Bill in Support of the ASUC Office of Student Affairs**

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**Authored by: Senator Elliot Goldstein, Senator Tiffany Chia**

**Sponsored by: Senator Elliot Goldstein, Senator Tiffany Chia**

**WHEREAS,** the Office of Student Affairs is an integral part of the ASUC's ability to carry out its core functions: providing financial and advisory support to ASUC-sponsored student groups; and

**WHEREAS,** in Spring 2001, Proposition 2 was passed by the Student Body to increase ASUC fees from \$10.50 to \$27.50 per person, and with additional funding abilities the number of ASUC-sponsored groups increased three fold over the next decade; and

**WHEREAS,** In December 2001 the Director of the OSA, Jan Crowder, submitted a proposed to Executive Director Cordi for three additional staffing positions including 1 FTE advisor, 1 FTE administrative assistant, and .5 FTE student staff, but this request was denied; and

**WHEREAS,** since April 2010 there has only been an part-time Publications advisor position currently being filled by Amanda Lien who is also a full-time student; and

**WHEREAS,** on January 25, 2012 all members of the dedicated OSA staff were special guests at Senate and presented that they were being "overworked to death"; and

**WHEREAS,** the Senate formed a temporary committee to discuss the severe issue of its OSA staff being overworked and is acting to provide the most support to its staff while upholding its mission to serve the student body and organizations that is sponsors; and

**WHEREAS,** there is an immediate need to provide more support to publications and to the OSA staff in data and operations management so they may continue providing quality service to ASUC student groups; and

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the ASUC recognizes the outstanding commitment and hardwork of the OSA staff, Jan Crowder, Millicent Morris Chaney, Rob Jittrikawiphol and Amanda Lien and expresses deep gratitude for the years of service they have given to the ASUC; and

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the ASUC supports the immediate hiring of an X FTE administrative assistant to be filled by a student work-study position; and

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** the ASUC supports making the publications advisor a 1 FTE position to be filled by a full-time staffer to provide maximum support to ASUC-sponsored publications and to alleviate work-overflow that must be compensated by the other OSA staffers; and

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** the ASUC President should make a motion in the CSSB in

correspondence with this ASUC Senate bill.

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## **A Bill in Support of the Collegiate Starleague (CSL) at Berkeley**

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**Authored by: Adam Frackiewicz, Conan Liu, Alvin Sun, Senator Chia**

**Sponsored by: Senator Chia, Senator Shin, Senator Abbasi**

**WHEREAS,** the Collegiate Starleague (CSL) is an intercollegiate StarCraft league for North American colleges and universities; and,

**WHEREAS,** CSL Berkeley is a branch of this league, representing the students of Berkeley in the Collegiate Starleague; and,

**WHEREAS,** CSL now has over 240 participating schools; and,

**WHEREAS,** members of the club get an opportunity to meet others who also love StarCraft; and,

**WHEREAS,** this club aims to foster its own local community of gamers and help build the growing community of eSports fans; and,

**WHEREAS,** CSL at Berkeley looks to provide an excellent gateway to those who are interested in eSports in general, creating opportunities not only for players of the game to practice their skill and participate in the national scene against other universities, but also opportunities for fans of the game to come together and explore their own interests with the game; and,

**WHEREAS,** this includes providing practice hours and partners for players, and hosting events such as meet and greets, viewing parties, and LAN events for the general community; and,

**WHEREAS,** the short term goals of CSL at Berkeley are:

- Establish the organization of the team and practices
- Look into having players live together in a team house
- Create a barcraft event in the Berkeley area to attract the student populace
- Hold a CSL LAN in the Berkeley area

**WHEREAS,** the long term goals of CSL at Berkeley are:

- Maintain the team as an ASUC sponsored student group
- Explore sponsorship avenues for the team
- Provide support for the players in their academic careers along with their player careers - possibly aid them in pursuing their futures
- Establish relationships with esports organizations in the Bay Area - including IGN, Twitch, teams like Reign, etc
- Increase teams public image - marketing ourselves, increase participation in events

**WHEREAS,** CSL at Berkeley currently has around 65 members; and,

**WHEREAS,** the line-item budget is as such:

Item Name	Source	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested	Source of Funding
<b>Publicity</b>							
T-shirts	Vistaprint	10	10	10	100	0	External(each person buys their own)
Fliers	Zee Zee Copy	0.05	4	100	5	5	ASUC
Poster		30	1	1	30	30	ASUC
<b>Overhead Costs</b>							
Equipment	Power strip	14	1	1	14	14	ASUC
	Key Cap puller	5	1	1	5	5	ASUC
	Replacement Key caps	15	26	2	30	30	ASUC
	Table	20	1	1	20	20	ASUC
Subtotal					204	104	
External source of funding					100	N/A	
Grand Total					104	104	

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the ASUC recognize Collegiate Starleague (CSL) at Berkeley as a 1<sup>st</sup> year Student Activity Group (SAG); and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** the ASUC allocates \$104 from the Senate Contingency Fund to CSL at Berkeley for the funding of fliers, posters, a power strip, key cap pullers, replacement key caps and a table.

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**A Bill In Support of Cal Vietnamese Student Association**

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**Authored by: Senator Fang**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Fang**

**WHEREAS,** Vietnamese Student Association (VSA) has sought to reflect the diverse, vibrant, and dynamic Vietnamese community on and off the University of California, Berkeley's campus; and,

**WHEREAS,** through festive social events, academic forums, and cultural productions, VSA promotes discussion and awareness of Vietnamese culture and identity; and thus fosters a friendly atmosphere for any student who may want to participate whether they are ethnically Vietnamese or not; and,

**WHEREAS,** VSA aims to create an inclusive community and positive atmosphere by encouraging students from all backgrounds to participate and engage in events; and,

**WHEREAS,** Cal VSA is a 21st-year Student Activity Group that was allocated \$2205.44 during ASUC 2011-2012 Spring Budgeting; and,

**WHEREAS,**

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**WHEREAS,**

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the ASUC recognizes Cal Vietnamese Student Association as a 21st-Year ASUC-Sponsored Student Initiated Service Group (SISG).

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## **A Bill in Support of the State of the Black Union**

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**Authored by: Senator Williams**

- WHEREAS,** the purpose of the state of the black union address is to intellectually engage students of color in thoughtful discussion around different topics that are relevant to their presence as a minority on campus and;
- WHEREAS,** the discussions are geared to addressing those issues that are not typically talked about by the university such as admissions and;
- WHEREAS,** other discussions are aimed to enhance the experiences of students of color on the campus by exposing them to resources and;
- WHEREAS,** the state of the black student union address is usefulness because it allows students of color to come together on the same accord to develop solutions to the perceived problems that they are having and;
- WHEREAS,** In addition to this, the state of the black union address also functions as a safe place for students to voice their concerns and develop relationships with other like-minded students and;
- WHEREAS,** the state of the black union address is effective in that students leave feeling a new sense of self confidence in their ability to change practices that are disadvantageous to their wellbeing and presence on campuses such as UC Berkeley and;
- WHEREAS,** this semester, the theme will be accepting the torch, which is befitting to the current state of black students as over the years, they have been becoming less active in the political and social issues on and off of campus and'
- WHEREAS,** the intention is to inspire current students to accept the torch that has been passed down to them from previous generations of students to be the change that they wish to see.
- THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the ASUC allocate X amount from the student contingency fund.

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## A Bill In Support of Undergraduate Chemical Society

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**Authored by: Michael Angell and Senator Sayarath**

**Sponsored by: Senator Sayarath, Senator Abbasi, Senator Mecklai, Senator Landgraf**

**WHEREAS,** The Undergraduate Chemical Society is a student-led organization at the [University of California, Berkeley](#), focused on the students in the [College of Chemistry](#); and,

**WHEREAS,** The group sponsors a number of projects and hope to help connect Cal students to the many wonderful resources in the University; and,

**WHEREAS,** The Undergraduate Chemical Society runs a decal known as CUIR; and,

**WHEREAS,** CUIR (Chemistry Undergraduate Internships & Research) provides a variety of views about getting into research and corporate internships; and,

**WHEREAS,** The course features seminars, guest speakers, and field trips. Students are introduced to chemistry- and chemical engineering-related career paths, and are connected to many resources to help them succeed in the College of Chemistry and beyond; and,

**WHEREAS,** Upon finishing CUIR students become better candidates for entering research projects and internships and are able to make use of the resources Cal provides; and,

**WHEREAS,** The UCS will be sponsoring student-led tutoring of Chemistry 4B (General Chemistry and Quantitative Analysis II) in Spring 2012; and,

**WHEREAS,** The undergraduate chemical society hopes to use this as a pilot program for a larger scale tutoring initiative in future semesters; and,

**WHEREAS,** the operating budget for the Undergraduate Chemical Society is as follows:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Tutoring Costs</b>						
Paper	\$3.61		1	\$3.61	\$3.61	
Pencils	\$6.99		1	\$6.99	\$6.99	
Dry Erase Markers	\$9.50		1	\$9.50	\$9.50	

<b>Total</b>	<b>\$20.10</b>	<b>\$20.10</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>
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**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the ASUC officially recognizes the Undergraduate Chemical Society as 1<sup>st</sup> year Student Activity Group (SAG); and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the ASUC allocate \$20.10 from Senate Contingency to the Undergraduate Chemical Society.



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## A Bill In Support of the Global Microfinance Brigades

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**Authored by: Shivani Kapur, Senator Abbasi and Senator Sayarath**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Abbasi, Senator Sayarath, Senator Mecklai, Senator Landgraf**

**WHEREAS,** The Global Microfinance Brigades is a chapter of Global Brigades which numbers 300 chapters worldwide; and,

**WHEREAS,** The Global Microfinance Brigades partners with other brigade organizations like Global Architecture Brigades, Global Medical Brigades, and other organizations on our campus to holistically solve development problems of the world; and,

**WHEREAS,** Global Brigades commits to project areas in the developing world, sending a continuous flow of brigaders to aid the area; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Global Brigades only serves those who are willing to receive the help, so that the aid is mutual; and,

**WHEREAS,** The Global Microfinance Brigades has the goal of promoting financial literacy and,

**WHEREAS,** One way the Berkeley chapter promotes financial literacy is by speaking to banks in the community about ways in which they can reinvest capital to increase the pool of money for loans to the community; and,

**WHEREAS,** Another way the Berkeley chapter promotes financial literacy is by going home to home and explaining to community members the idea behind banks and savings; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Global Microfinance Brigades budget is as follows:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Operating Costs</b>						
Travel	\$1000.00		-	-	\$0.00	Out of Pocket
Website Stipend	\$100.00		1	\$100.00	\$0.00	Out of Pocket
Table	\$40.00		1	\$40.00	\$0.00	Out of Pocket
Chairs	\$20.00		2	\$40.00	\$0.00	Out of Pocket

Fliers	\$100.00		5000	\$100.00	\$100.00	Senate Contingency
Banner for Table	\$50.00		1	\$50.00	\$50.00	Senate Contingency
<b>Subtotal</b>					<b>\$150.00</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the ASUC allocate \$150.00 from the Senate Contingency Fund to fund the operating costs of the Global Microfinance Brigades.

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## A Bill In Support of the Berkeley Chemical Review

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**Authored by: Michael Angell and Senator Sayarath**

**Sponsored by: Senator Sayarath, Senator Abbasi, Senator Mecklai, Senator Landgraf**

**WHEREAS,** The Berkeley Chemical Review (BCR) is a student-led publication that focuses on the students in the UC Berkeley College of Chemistry; and,

**WHEREAS,** The journal is structured to extend beyond a simple collection of research papers, instead offering variety through many different, interesting sections for students to enjoy; and,

**WHEREAS,** The Chemistry Review includes the following;

Included sections are:

- **Undergraduate Research Papers:** Research article submissions from undergraduates.
- **White Paper Writings:** Submissions of individual library research from students pursuing one of a series of specified topics.
- **Chemistry 4B Papers:** A compilation of the best Special Projects from Chemistry 4B, published as papers.
- **Bronowski Papers:** Works outlining innovative methods of integrating humanities into the chemical sciences.
- **Fun Chemistry Blurbs:** Brief descriptions of interesting chemical phenomena.
- **Faculty History of Chemistry:** Faculty-written pieces on interesting stories in the history of chemistry and chemical engineering.
- **Guide to Getting Involved in Research for Undergraduates:** Suggestions on how to get involved in research in the College.

**WHEREAS,** the operating budget for the Chemistry Review is as follows:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Tutoring Costs</b>						
Printing			500	\$2448	\$700.00	
Journal Delivery			1	\$142.97	\$0.00	
<b>Total</b>				<b>\$2590.97</b>	<b>\$700.00</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the ASUC officially recognizes the Undergraduate Chemical Society as 1<sup>st</sup> year Publication (PUB); and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the ASUC allocate \$700.00 from Senate Contingency to the Undergraduate Chemical Society.

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## A Bill In Support of Teach in Prison DeCal

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**Authored by: Nelson Bellesheim and Senator Sayarath**

**Sponsored by: Senator Sayarath, Senator Abbasi, Senator Mecklai, Senator Landgraf**

**WHEREAS,** The Teach in Prison Decal aims to provide students with a unique service learning experience as they tutor prisoners in San Quentin State Prison.; and,

**WHEREAS,** This program enriches almost any professional or personal interest you can think of: law, psychology, politics, and curiosity to name a few; and,

**WHEREAS,** And while you're learning about the California corrections system, you'll be helping eager students work toward their high school diploma; and,

**WHEREAS,** One morning a week you'll join a group of Cal students for the brief commute to San Quentin; and,

**WHEREAS,** Once there you'll assist inmates in the prison's education department; and,

**WHEREAS,** These meetings often feature guest lecturers, including: prison psychologists, guards, Boalt criminal law experts, writers, documentarians, and former inmates; and,

**WHEREAS,** The Budget for the Teach In Prison DeCal is the following:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Operation/Marketing Costs</b>						
Binders				\$16.40	\$0.00	
Guest Speaker	\$0.10		100	\$40.00	\$0.00	
Fall 11 Driver Reimbursement	\$2.50		60	\$732.00	\$0.00	550 from Senate Contingency and Student out of pocket
TB Test Reimbursement				\$40.00	\$0.00	Student out of pocket

Spring 12 Driver Reimbursement	30 miles round trip, 20 drivers a week for 9 weeks, AT 20 cents a mile			\$1,980.00	\$950.00	Senate Contingency and student out of pocket and public service fund
Tshirts Fall 11	\$10.00 + tax		60	\$635.00	\$0.00	
Tshirts Spring 12	\$10.00 + tax		75	\$800.00	\$0.00	
Food	\$50.00		\$2.00	\$15.40		Senate Contingency
<b>Total</b>				<b>\$4,258.80</b>	<b>\$950.00</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>

Source of Revenue	Amount
T-Shirt Sales Fall	771.00
ASUC Spring Budgeting	200.00
Fall Senate Bill	550.00
EEF Fall 11	200.00
Spring Senate Bill (projected)	950.00
T-Shirt Sales Spring (projected)	1000.00
EEF Spring 12 (projected)	200.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3871.00</b>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the ASUC allocate \$950.00 from Senate Contingency to fund the cost of operation for the Teach in Prison DeCal.

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## **A Bill In Support of Roll ‘n Shoot Wheelchair Basketball Tournament**

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**Authored by: Berton Mehardja and Senator Sayarath**

**Sponsored by: Senator Sayarath, Senator Mecklai, Senator Abbasi, Senator Landgraf**

**WHEREAS,** The Roll ‘N Shoot Wheelchair Basketball Tournament will be happening on March 10 in the RSF Field House; and,

**WHEREAS,** All funds raised from the tournament go to benefit the Bay Area Outreach and Recreation Program’s Wheelchair Basketball program; and,

**WHEREAS,** BORP is the leading provider and promoter of accessible sports and recreation opportunities for children and adults with physical disabilities in the greater San Francisco Bay Area; and,

**WHEREAS,** The tournament consists of a round robin 3 v 3 wheelchair basketball tournament; and,

**WHEREAS,** Each team will be paired with a youth member from the BORP wheelchair basketball program as a coach; and,

**WHEREAS,** The tournament has participants from every corner of the campus including the athlete and Greek communities; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Roll ‘n Shoot had and continues to have the following goals:

- a.) To raise awareness around disability on campus, particularly adaptive sports.
- b.) To fundraise for BORP’s youth wheelchair basketball team.
- c.) To increase student dialogue about disability awareness and accommodations.
- d.) To become an annual event, creating:
  - 1.) A tradition of engaging, hands-on disability education.
  - 2.) A movement to improve adaptive facilities and sports programs on campus.
  - 3.) Excitement among students to participate in this fun, athletic event; and

**WHEREAS,** participation in team sports has been shown to have a positive effect on future life success for able-bodied youth, and the benefits of sport are even more dramatic for youth with disabilities; and

**WHEREAS,** for youth with disabilities, there is a tragic lack of opportunity to access these kinds of athletic activities that are available to able-bodied people. Adequate adaptive sports and recreation programs are not offered by most schools (including UC Berkeley) or by most city recreation departments; and

**WHEREAS,** this lack of sports opportunity for people with disabilities is even more pertinent considering the high rate of secondary health problems (obesity, diabetes and hypertension) people with disabilities regularly suffer as a result of inactivity; and

**WHEREAS,** BORP provides disabled youth with the opportunity to regularly exercise in a competitive team setting. This competitive setting helps players develop positive body images, establish healthy living habits, increase their athletic prowess, gain independence, and take responsibility not only for their success in the program, but also for their own success in life; and;

**WHEREAS,** over the past 10 years:

- a.) 98% of BORP's youth alumni have graduated from high school.
- b.) Over 80% have gone on to college.
- c.) Over 70% are employed.
- d.) These statistics are in sharp contrast with national data on disabled populations, and are particularly impressive given the fact that the majority of BORP participants come from low-income households; and

**WHEREAS,** the operating budget for the Tournament consists of:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Operation/Marketing Costs</b>						
Uhaul to Transport Chairs	\$70.00 for Day			\$70.00	\$70.00	Senate Contingency
RSF Fee	\$314.00		1	\$314.00	\$314.00	Senate Contingency
Fliers	\$0.02		5000	\$100.00	\$100.00	Senate Contingency
Wheelchair Maintenance	\$25.00		36	\$900.00	\$900.00	Senate Contingency, after our students use them they tend to be a little more broken than usual.
Food				\$680.00	\$0.00	RHA (Intended)
Trophies	\$20.00		5	\$200.00	\$0.00	RHA (intended)
Tshirts	\$4.00		150	\$600.00	\$0.00	RHA (intended)
<b>Total</b>				<b>\$2,864.00</b>	<b>\$1,384.00</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>



**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Roll 'n Shoot Wheelchair Basketball Tournament be recognized as an official ASUC Sponsored Event; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the ASUC allocate \$1384.00 from Senate Contingency to fund the costs of the tournament.

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## A Bill In Support of Major Madness

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**Authored by: Major Madness Director Lauren Allanson and Senator Sayarath**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Sayarath, Senator Abbasi, Senator Mecklai, Senator Landgraf, AAVP**  
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**WHEREAS,** every Spring semester the Academic Affairs Vice President's Office provides the opportunity for students to learn about majors and academic possibilities available to them through Major Madness Week; and,

**WHEREAS,** for an entire week, advisors mainly from the College of Letters and Science provide advice and information for students that they may not seek out themselves; and,

**WHEREAS,** the events will be beneficial to students even outside the Letters and Sciences majors, as all departments and colleges at the University of California, Berkeley are invited to participate; and,

**WHEREAS,** in the past, Major Madness Week has been consistently funded by the ASUC since 2006; and,

**WHEREAS,** the operating budget for the Major Madness is the following:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Operation/Marketing Costs</b>						
Fliers handbill cards	\$0.05		3500	\$175.00	\$175.00	Senate Contingency
Posters	\$0.10		100	\$10.00	\$10.00	Senate Contingency
Balloons	\$2.50		60	\$150.00	\$0.00	L&S advising
Thank You Cards	\$50.00		\$2.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	Senate Contingency
Banner	\$60.00		1	\$60.00	\$50.00	Senate Contingency
<b>Total</b>				<b>\$495.00</b>	<b>\$335.00</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the ASUC allocate \$335.00 to fund the operating costs of Major Madness; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that 2012 Major Madness week of events is recognized as ASUC Sponsored.

## A Bill In Support of Cal Raijin Taiko's Spring Showcase

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**Authored by: Ed Liu, Tiffany Paw, and Senator Sayarath**

**Sponsored by: Senator Sayarath, Senator Mecklai, Senator Abbasi, Senator Landgraf**

- WHEREAS,** In the Spring of 2005, a small but committed group of students pooled their resources and formed UC Berkeley's first Taiko group; and,
- WHEREAS,** the founding members practiced in a fraternity basement, and gradually shifted to the campus' Sproul Plaza, playing on tires and chairs in lieu of drums; and,
- WHEREAS,** One year later, following countless hours of carrying tires to Sproul and slowly hand-crafting the group's first drums, Cal Taiko had its inaugural performance at Cal Day on April 22, 2006; and,
- WHEREAS,** Since then, the group has established its presence on campus as Raijin Taiko, or more casually, "those drummers on Sproul"; and,
- WHEREAS,** Raijin Taiko practices two to three times a week and performs original repertoire; and,
- WHEREAS,** Modern Taiko, as it is known today in its ensemble (Kumi-daiko) art form, dates back only half a century to the post war Jazz musician [Daihachi Oguchi](#); and,
- WHEREAS,** Oguchi was the first artist to bring Taiko together in an ensemble format, using multiple drums and rhythms within a single arrangement; and,
- WHEREAS,** When the Japanese government established funds aimed at the preservation of Japanese culture, a reaction against increasing Western influence in Japan, Taiko groups began forming all throughout the country; and,
- WHEREAS,** Since its origins 40 years ago, North American Taiko has taken off as a popular art form, fusing traditional drumming with many modern styles of music; and, all throughout the country; and,
- WHEREAS,** the Cal Raijin Taiko Spring Showcase will be held on Sunday April 8 at 6:30 pm at Julia Morgan Center for the Arts; and,
- WHEREAS,** the operating budget for the Cal Raijin Taiko Spring Showcase is as follows:

Item Name	Price/Unit	Unit Count	Quantity	Total	Requested from Senate	Source of Funding (Optional)
<b>Showcase Costs</b>						

Showcase Insurance	\$295.00		1	\$295.00	\$295.00	
Julia Morgan 1st Deposit	\$549.00		1	\$549.00	\$200.00	
Julia Morgan 2nd Deposit	\$549.00		1	\$549.00	\$0.00	
Posters	\$0.50		100	\$50.00	\$10.00	
Flyers	\$0.05		3000	\$150.00	\$150.00	
Tickets	\$0.50		200	\$100.00	\$100.00	
Programs				\$150.00	\$150.00	
Theatre Improvement Tax				\$487.50	\$0.00	
Happi + Obi (Traditional Wardrobe)				\$500.00	\$500.00	
Odaiko Stand				\$900.00	\$95.00	
<b>Operation Costs</b>						
Granite Blocks				\$200.00	\$0.00	
Duct Tape for tryouts, practice, etc.	\$3.00		150 rolls	\$450.00	\$0.00	
Granite Block Stand	\$30.00		8	\$240.00	\$0.00	
Drum Bags				\$1,560.00	\$0.00	
Washers and Bolts				\$6.00	\$0.00	
performance pants and	\$25.00		8	\$200.00	\$0.00	

shirts						
Movement Showcase Parking	\$15.00		1	\$15.00	\$0.00	
<b>Total</b>				<b>6401.50</b>	<b>\$1,500.00</b>	<b>Senate Contingency</b>

<b>Revenue Source</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Ticket Sales (Projected)	2500.00
Membership Dues	400.00
ASUC Spring Budgeting	718.38
Multicultural Fund (Projected)	500.00
Senate Contingency (Projected)	1500.00
Fundraisers for Showcase: Performance at Thousand oaks, Performance at Nike Women's Marathon, San Jose Obon Performance	750.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6368.38</b>

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Cal Raijin Taiko Spring Showcase be recognized as an official ASUC sponsored event; and,

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the ASUC allocate \$1500.00 to the Cal Raijin Taiko to help them fund the cost of the event.

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**A Bill in Support of YEEEE Carrie Underwood and Taco Bell**

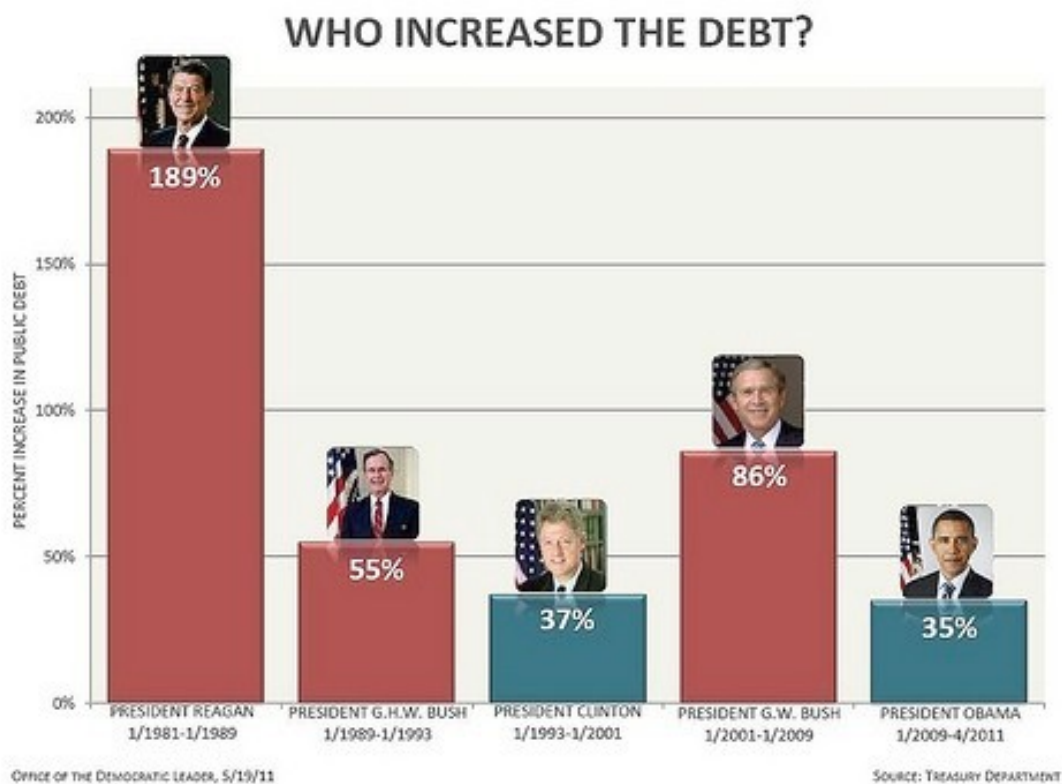
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**Authored by: Senator Ickowitz**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Ickowitz**

**WHEREAS,** Taco Bell is good and has nice Quesadillas; and,

**WHEREAS,** Carrie Underwood is nice; and,

**WHEREAS,** this is a nice graph:



**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that ASUC EAVP Freeman author letter to Taco Bell and Carrie Underwood saying “yee”.